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PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS.

UNITED STATES.

[Reports to the Surgeon-General Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service.]

STATISTICAL REPORTS OF STATES AND CITIES OF THE UNITED STATES, YEARLY AND MONTHLY.

CALIFORNIA—*Los Angeles*.—Month of November, 1905. Estimated population, 200,000. Total number of deaths, 246, including diphtheria 7, enteric fever 5, measles 1, whooping cough 2, and 53 from tuberculosis.

Stockton.—Month of November, 1905. Estimated population, 90,000. Total number of deaths, 25, including 1 from tuberculosis.

CONNECTICUT.—Reports to the State board of health for the month of November, 1905, from 165 towns, having an aggregate estimated population of 984,292, show a total of 1,254 deaths, including diphtheria 23, enteric fever 27, measles 3, scarlet fever 3, whooping cough 7, and 109 from phthisis pulmonalis.

Bridgeport.—Month of November, 1905. Estimated population, 82,128. Total number of deaths, 107, including diphtheria 3, enteric fever 1, scarlet fever 1, and 12 from tuberculosis.

Hartford.—Month of November, 1905. Estimated population, 92,000. Total number of deaths, 125, including diphtheria 1, enteric fever 1, whooping cough 1, and 12 from tuberculosis.

INDIANA.—The **MONTHLY BULLETIN** gives the following abstract of mortality statistics for October, 1905:

Total number of deaths reported, 2,681; annual rate, 11.9. In the preceding month, 3,018; rate, 13.6. In the corresponding month last year, 2,702 deaths; rate, 12. Deaths by important ages were: Under 1 year, 426, or 16.9 per cent of the total; 1 to 5, 221; 5 to 10, 89; 10 to 15, 46; 15 to 20, 88; 65 and over, 659, or 26.2 per cent of the total. Some important causes of death were: Tuberculosis, 307 (252 pulmonary and 55 other forms); typhoid fever, 152; diphtheria, 76; croup, 3; scarlet fever, 5; whooping cough, 14; pneumonia, 138; diarrheal diseases, 167; cerebro-spinal meningitis, 29; influenza, 4; puerperal fever, 9; cancer, 100; violence, 159; smallpox, none.

IOWA—*Davenport*.—Month of October, 1905. Estimated population, 42,000. Total number of deaths, 42, including diphtheria 3, and 3 from phthisis pulmonalis.

Month of November, 1905. Total number of deaths, 39, including diphtheria 2, and 4 from tuberculosis.

Keokuk.—Month of November, 1905. Census population, 14,641. Total number of deaths, 20, including enteric fever 1, whooping cough 1, and 2 from tuberculosis.

LOUISIANA—*New Orleans*.—Month of November, 1905. Estimated population, 325,000; white, 239,000, colored, 86,000. Total number of deaths, 535; white, 333, colored, 202, including diphtheria 4, enteric fever 5, smallpox 1, yellow fever 6, and 80 from tuberculosis.

MICHIGAN.—The total number of deaths returned to the secretary of state for the month of November was 2,644, representing a total death rate of 12.6 per 1,000 population. A slight falling off from the rate of the previous month, 13.1, is observed.

There were 445 deaths of infants under 1 year of age; 164 deaths of children aged 1 to 4 years, inclusive, and 791 deaths of persons aged 65 years and over.

Important causes of death were as follows: Tuberculosis of the lungs, 163; other forms of tuberculosis, 26; typhoid fever, 93—a decrease of 9 from the number returned for October; diphtheria and croup, 71; scarlet fever, 22; measles, 3; whooping cough, 11; pneumonia, 187; diarrheal diseases of infants under 2 years, 74; influenza, 17; cancer, 143; accidents and violence, 158.

The deaths from pneumonia more than doubled in number as compared with the preceding month, and influenza also increased, although the total number of deaths from this cause was only 17. A marked decrease was shown in diarrheal diseases.

There was one death from smallpox, which occurred in the city of Alma, Gratiot County.

MINNESOTA—*Minneapolis*.—Month of November, 1905. Census population, 261,974. Total number of deaths, 215, including diphtheria 5, enteric fever 10, and 26 from tuberculosis.

NEBRASKA—*Omaha*.—Month of July, 1905. Census population, 102,555. Total number of deaths, 77, including diphtheria 1, enteric fever 1, whooping cough 1, and 2 from tuberculosis.

Month of August, 1905. Total number of deaths, 81, including enteric fever 1, whooping cough 2, and 7 from tuberculosis.

NEW HAMPSHIRE—*Manchester*.—Month of November, 1905. Estimated population, 62,000. Total number of deaths, 103, including diphtheria 7, and 8 from tuberculosis.

NEW YORK—*Auburn*.—Month of November, 1905. Estimated population, 38,500. Total number of deaths, 36, including diphtheria, 2, enteric fever 1, whooping cough 1, and 7 from tuberculosis.

Buffalo.—Month of November, 1905. Estimated population, 400,000. Total number of deaths, 450, including diphtheria 5, enteric fever 5, measles 1, whooping cough 4, and 41 from tuberculosis.

OHIO—Cleveland.—Month of November, 1905. Estimated population, 440,000. Total number of deaths, 502, including diphtheria 11, enteric fever 6, scarlet fever 4, whooping cough 1, and 55 from tuberculosis.

Toledo.—Month of September, 1905. Census population, 131,822. Total number of deaths, 178, including diphtheria 1, enteric fever 16, and 18 from tuberculosis.

Month of October, 1905. Total number of deaths, 142, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 5, scarlet fever 1, and 16 from tuberculosis.

TENNESSEE—Nashville.—Month of November, 1905. Estimated population, 94,605; white, 59,426; colored, 35,179. Total number of deaths, 117; white, 58; colored, 59, including enteric fever 4, and 21 from tuberculosis.

WASHINGTON—Seattle.—Month of November, 1905. Estimated population, 160,000. Total number of deaths, 76, including enteric fever 1, and 6 from tuberculosis.

Tacoma.—Month of November, 1905. Estimated population, 75,000. Total number of deaths, 68, including diphtheria 1, enteric fever 3, and 9 from phthisis pulmonalis.

Smallpox in the United States as reported to the Surgeon-General, Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service, June 30 to December 22, 1905.

For reports received from December 30, 1904, to June 30, 1905, see PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS for June 30, 1905.

[NOTE.—In accordance with custom, the tables of epidemic diseases are terminated semiannually and new tables begun.]

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Alaska:				
Nome	Sept. 25	1		
Total for Territory		1		
Total for Territory, same period, 1904.				
Arkansas:				
Fort Smith	May 20-June 3...	2		
Total for State		2		
Total for State, same period, 1904.		3		
California:				
Los Angeles.....	July 1-Dec. 9	42		
San Diego.....	June 1-30.....	1		
San Francisco	July 22-Dec. 2	45		
Total for State		88		
Total for State, same period, 1904.		8		
Colorado:				
Boulder County.....	July 1-Aug. 31...	2		
Denver County	June 1-July 31...	7		
Dolores County	June 1-30	1		
Douglas County	Aug. 1-Sept. 30	15		
Eagle County	June 1-July 31	9		
Garfield County	July 1-Sept. 30	7		
Lake County	June 1-30	2		
La Plata County	June 1-30	11		
Larimer County	June 1-July 31	23		
Mesa County	June 1-30	1		
Montezuma County	Aug. 1-Sept. 30	22		
Prowers County	July 1-31	2		
Pueblo County	Aug. 1-31	1		